CLAIM AMENDMENTS

- 1. (currently amended) An apparatus for shaping and/or folding can bodies (11) having at least two oppositely rotating shaping tools (12 and 13) of which one is mounted on an arm (14) for radial movement, characterized in that wherein the arm (14) is provided with a controllable drive (15, 16, 17) comprised of a motor (15) with or without a step-down drive (16) and an increment or angle sensor (17).
- 2. (currently amended) The apparatus according to claim
 1, characterized in that wherein the arm (14) is pivotal.
- 3. (currently amended) The apparatus according to claim
 2. 2, characterized in that wherein each pivot arm (14) is provided
 3. with two tools (13a and 13b) that are used alternately for shaping.
- 4. (currently amended) The apparatus according to one
 of claims claim 1 to 3, characterized in that wherein by a calibrating body (10), in particular a calibrating ring, that serves
 after changing of the shaping tool as a reference point for setting
 at a null point the increment or angle sensor (17).

- 5. (currently amended) The apparatus according to one of claims claim 1 to 4, characterized in that wherein in a multiple-spindle carousel-type machine each arm (14) is connected with a respective externally controllable drive (15, 16, 17).
- of claims claim 1 to 5, characterized in that wherein change in the actual-value current output of the electrical drive relative to the angular position and the force curve derived from it is compared with a stored force curve and when a predetermined deviation is detected the respective can body is culled out.
- 7. (currently amended) The apparatus according to one of claims claim 1 to 6, characterized by , further comprising a memory for the force curves of typical error situations.